

Dear FCC,

Picture a democracy in which all media is owned by sprawling corporations, with their hands in everything from plastics to chocolate. Now, imagine if you will, that these corporations select a puppet to place in government that will be most lenient on their environmental impact and their reductions to worker's wages. Now, it is so easy to use their media outlets to sell this puppet to the people as a bona fide politician. What then happens to the democracy? The answer is painfully simple - the democracy cannot exist without a semblance of "fair and balanced" information from the media sources. In a democracy, information is power, and there are safe gaurds ensuring that this will not be abused. These safegaurds are under a gale wind of pressure right now, every media outlet across the country is staggering under the weight of the pressure from their corporate owners to push the elections in favor of big business and further separate the people from the government that was supposed to support them. Please do not buckle under this pressure. Please stand strong in this storm and together maybe we can regain some of the basic rights this great country guaruntees its citizens.

Thank you,

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